

* Eigen values and Eigen vectors of a square matrix :-

Let A be a square matrix of order n , then a non-zero column matrix X is said to be Eigen vector of matrix A , if it satisfy the equation

$$\boxed{AX = \lambda X \text{ or } (A - \lambda I)X = 0} ; \text{ where } \lambda \text{ is any real or complex no.}$$

Here, λ is called Eigen value of the matrix A .

Note :- Eigen values are also called characteristic roots and latent values.

* Characteristic Equation :-

The characteristic equation of matrix A of order n is defined by

$$|A - \lambda I| = 0$$

And this equation gives n^{th} order polynomial in λ

$$\boxed{a_n \lambda^n + a_{n-1} \lambda^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 \lambda + a_0 = 0}$$

Note :- ① If A is ~~row~~ square matrix of order n , then it will have n eigen values and n eigen vectors.

② If A is square matrix of order 3, then its Characteristic eqn. is given by

$$\boxed{\lambda^3 - (\text{Trace of } A) \lambda^2 + (\text{sum of diagonal minors}) \lambda - |A| = 0}$$

③ Trace of A = Sum of diagonal elements of A .

(4). For 2×2 matrix $\lambda^2 - (\text{Trace of } A) \lambda + |A| = 0$

Note: 1. Sum of all Eigen Values = Trace = Sum of diagonal elements.
 2. $\text{Det} A = |A| = \text{Multiplication of all Eigen Values}$.
 You can verify above to points in your questions

Question ① Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Soln. The characteristic eqn. of A is eqn. is given by
 $|A - \lambda I| = 0$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & -3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Rough

$$\text{Trace} = 1 + 2 - 3 = 0$$

$$|A| = -30$$

By Solving determinant

$$(1-\lambda)[(2-\lambda)(-3-\lambda)] + 4[0 - 3(2-\lambda)] = 0$$

Ch. Eqn.

$$\Rightarrow -\lambda^3 + 19\lambda - 30 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2-\lambda)(\lambda+5)(\lambda-3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2, 3, -5$$

are eigen values of A.

OR

By formula

$$\lambda^3 - (\text{Trace})\lambda^2 + (\text{sum of diagonal minors})\lambda + |A| = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^3 - 0 - 19\lambda + 30 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^3 - 19\lambda + 30 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda-3)(\lambda+5)(\lambda-2) = 0$$

\Rightarrow by calc

$$\lambda = 2, 3, -5$$

$\therefore \lambda = 2, 3, -5$ are eigen values

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D_1 = 2 - 0 = 2$$

$$D_2 = -6 - 0 = -6$$

$$D_3 = -3 - 12 = -15$$

$$D_1 + D_2 + D_3 = -19$$

for D_3

$$D_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

The Eigen vectors for $\lambda = 2, 3, -5$ can be calculated by eqn.

$$(A - \lambda I)X = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1-\lambda & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & -3-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{①}$$

$$\text{where } X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

is eigen vector

— ①

① Eigen vector for $\lambda=2$; let $x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix}$ is eigen vector for $\lambda=2$
 Then putting $\lambda=2$ & $x=x_1$ in ① we get

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-1 \cdot x_1 + 0 \cdot y_1 + 4 \cdot z_1 = 0$$

$$0 \cdot x_1 + 0 \cdot y_1 + 0 \cdot z_1 = 0$$

$$3 \cdot x_1 + 1 \cdot y_1 - 5 \cdot z_1 = 0$$

We take any two equation to find x_1, y_1, z_1 . But here already second equation is not useful, so we take 1st and last only.

$$\frac{x_1}{0 \ 4} = \frac{-y_1}{1 \ -5} = \frac{z_1}{3 \ -1}$$

$$\frac{x_1}{-4} = \frac{-y_1}{+7} = \frac{z_1}{-1}$$

$$x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 7 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \neq$$

② Eigen vector for $\lambda=3$; let $x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix}$ is eigen vector for $\lambda=3$.
 Putting $\lambda=3$ & $x=x_2$ in ①

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-2 \cdot x_2 + 0 \cdot y_2 + 4 \cdot z_2 = 0$$

$$0 \cdot x_2 - 1 \cdot y_2 + 0 \cdot z_2 = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$3 \cdot x_2 + 1 \cdot y_2 + 0 \cdot z_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{x_2}{4} = \frac{-y_2}{0} = \frac{z_2}{2}$$

$$x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) Eigen vector for $\lambda = -5$

Let $X_3 = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix}$ is eigen vector for $\lambda = -5$

Putting $\lambda = -5$ and $X = X_3$ in (1) we get

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$6x_3 + 0y_3 + 4z_3 = 0$$

$$0x_3 + 7y_3 + 0z_3 = 0$$

$$3x_3 + 1y_3 + 2z_3 = 0$$

We can take any two equations to find x_1, y_1, z_1 . Here we are taking 1st and second eqns.

$$\begin{array}{c|c|c} x_3 & y_3 & z_3 \\ \hline \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 7 & 0 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{x_3}{-28} = \frac{-y_3}{0} = \frac{z_3}{42}$$

Multiplying by 14 $\frac{x_3}{-2} = \frac{y_3}{0} = \frac{z_3}{3}$

$$X_3 = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \#$$

Note: ① We have to use any two equations to find x, y & z , but we should select two eqns s.t. all values of x, y, z not be zero. Atleast one should be non-zero.

② If all equations are the same or if we are getting $x=0, y=0, z=0$ for all pairs of equations, then we assume any two variables and then calculate third variable (for 3×3 matrix).

e.g. $x_1=k_1$ and $y_1=k_2$

Q(2) Find eigen values and eigen vectors. of

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Soln:- The ch. eqn. of A is

$$\Rightarrow |A - \lambda I| = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3-\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Ch. Eqn. \Rightarrow

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^3 - 7\lambda^2 + 11\lambda - 5 = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \underbrace{1, 1, 5}_{\text{Same}} \text{ are eigen values of A.}$$

The eigen vectors are given by
 $(A - \lambda I)X = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3-\lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2-\lambda \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

(A) Eigen ~~value~~ vector for $\lambda = 1$

Let $X_1 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix}$ is eigen vector for A

Putting $\lambda = 1$ and $X = X_1$ in (1) we get

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \cdot x_1 + 2 \cdot y_1 + 1 \cdot z_1 &= 0 \\ 1 \cdot x_1 + 2 \cdot y_1 + 1 \cdot z_1 &= 0 \\ 1 \cdot x_1 + 2 \cdot y_1 + 1 \cdot z_1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Here all eqns are same, so values of x_1, y_1, z_1 will be 0. But we are looking for non-zero vector

$$x_1 + 2y_1 + z_1 = 0$$

we assume any value of y_1 & z_1

let $y_1 = k_1$ and $z_1 = k_2$

then $x_1 + 2k_1 + k_2 = 0$

$$x_1 = -2k_1 - k_2$$

Then $X_1 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2k_1 - k_2 \\ k_1 \\ k_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -2k_1 \\ k_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -k_2 \\ 0 \\ k_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= k_1 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + k_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then $X_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $X_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ are eigen vectors for $\lambda = 1$

(B) Eigen values vector for $\lambda = 5$:-

Let $X_3 = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix}$ is eigen vector for $\lambda = 5$

Putting $\lambda = 5$ and $X = X_3$, in (1)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-3x_3 + 2y_3 + 1z_3 = 0$$

$$1x_3 - 2y_3 + 1z_3 = 0$$

$$1x_3 + 2y_3 - 3z_3 = 0$$

We can take any two equations to find x_1, y_1, z_1 . Here we are taking 1st and second eqns.

$$\frac{x_3}{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{-y_3}{\begin{vmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{z_3}{\begin{vmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}}$$

$$\frac{x_3}{4} = \frac{y_3}{4} = \frac{z_3}{4}$$

$$\frac{x_3}{1} = \frac{y_3}{1} = \frac{z_3}{1}$$

$$X_3 = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \#$$

Exercise:

Q1: Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of the following matrices

$$(i) A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(ii) A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(iii) A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(iv) A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q2: Find the Eigen values, corresponding Eigen vectors, and Eigen spaces of the following matrices.

$$1) A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$4) A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 2 \\ -1 & 5 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2) A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5) A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 3 \\ 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 6 & -6 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3) A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$